

APPENDIX A

1. (Original). A method for enabling interactive access to and verification of representative appointment information, said method comprising the steps of:

providing one or more instructions for receiving the representative appointment information;

providing one or more instructions for analyzing and sorting the received representative appointment information;

providing one or more instructions for saving the received representative appointment information;

providing one or more instructions for presenting an interactive display of the received representative appointment information; and

providing an interface means to allow access to the displayed and presented received representative appointment information.

2. (Original). The method of claim 1, wherein said interactive access is provided via the Internet.

3. (Original). The method of claim 2, wherein said representative appointment information comprises:

a plurality of current representative appointment information; and

a plurality of pending representative appointment information.

4. (Original). The method of claim 3, wherein said method further comprises the steps of:

providing one or more instructions for inputting a date range; and

providing one or more instructions for displaying the representative appointment information modified within said inputted date range.

5. (Original). The method of claim 4, wherein said method further comprises the steps of:

providing one or more instructions for allowing the submission of updates to the representative appointment information; and

providing one or more instructions for accepting and processing submitted updates to the representative appointment information.

6. (Original). The method of claim 3, wherein said plurality of current representative appointment information comprises:

a plurality of representative identification fields; and
a plurality of representative authorization fields.

7. (Original). The method of claim 6, wherein said plurality of representative identification fields comprises:

a writing code field;
a representative status field;

an appointment effective date field; and
an appointment expiration date field.

8. (Original). The method of claim 6, wherein said plurality of representative authorization fields comprises:

a product group field;
a company field; and
a state field.

9. (Original). The method of claim 3, wherein said plurality of pending representative appointment information comprises:

a plurality of representative identification fields; and
a plurality of representative authorization fields.

10. (Original). The method of claim 9, wherein said plurality of representative identification fields comprises:

a writing code field;
a representative status field; and
an appointment effective date field.

11. (Original). The method of claim 9, wherein said plurality of representative authorization fields comprises:

a product group field;
a company field; and
a state field.

12. (Original). A computer readable medium including a software application for enabling interactive access to

representative appointment information, said software application comprising:

one or more instructions for receiving the representative appointment information;

one or more instructions for analyzing and sorting the received appointment information;

one or more instructions for saving the received representative appointment information;

one or more instructions for presenting an interactive display of the received representative appointment information; and

an interface means for allowing interactive access to the displayed and presented received representative appointment information.

13. (Original). The software application of claim 12, wherein said interactive access is provided via the Internet.

14. (Original). The software application of claim 13, wherein said representative appointment information comprises:

a plurality of current representative appointment information; and

a plurality of pending representative appointment information.

15. (Original). The software application of claim 14, wherein said software application further comprises:

one or more instructions for inputting a date range; and
one or more instructions for displaying the representative
appointment information modified within said inputted date
range.

16. (Original). The software application of claim 15,
wherein said software application further comprises:

one or more instructions for allowing the submission of
updates to the representative appointment information; and
one or more instructions for accepting and processing
submitted updates to the representative appointment information.

17. (Original). The software application of claim 14,
wherein said plurality of current representative appointment
information comprises:

a plurality of representative identification fields; and
a plurality of representative authorization fields.

18. (Original). The software application of claim 17,
wherein said plurality of representative identification fields
comprises:

a writing code field;
a representative status field;
an appointment effective date field; and
an appointment expiration date field.

19. (Original). The software application of claim 17,
wherein said plurality of representative authorization fields

comprises:

- a product group field;
- a company field; and
- a state field.

20. (Original). The software application of claim 14, wherein said plurality of pending representative appointment information comprises:

- a plurality of representative identification fields; and
- a plurality of representative authorization fields.

21. (Original). The software application of claim 20, wherein said plurality of representative identification fields comprises:

- a writing code field;
- a representative status field; and
- an appointment effective date field.

22. (Original). The software application of claim 20, wherein said plurality of representative authorization fields comprises:

- a product group field;
- a company field; and
- a state field.

23. (Original). A server system for providing access to representative appointment information, said system comprising:

- an inputting element for inputting received representative

appointment information;

a processing element for analyzing and sorting the received representative appointment information;

a saving element for saving the received representative appointment information;

an interactive element for allowing an interactive display of the received representative appointment information;

an interface element for allowing access to the displayed received representative appointment information.

24. (Original). The system of claim 23, wherein said access is provided via the Internet.

25. (Original). The system of claim 24, wherein said representative appointment information comprises:

a plurality of current representative appointment information; and

a plurality of pending representative appointment information.

26. (Original). The system of claim 25, wherein said system further comprises:

one or more instructions for inputting a date range; and

one or more instructions for displaying appointment information modified within said inputted date range.

27. (Original). The system of claim 26, wherein system further comprises:

one or more instructions for allowing submission of updates to the representative appointment information; and

one or more instructions for accepting and processing the submitted updates to the representative appointment information.

28. (Original). The method of claim 25, wherein said plurality of current representative appointment information comprises:

a plurality of representative identification fields; and
a plurality of representative authorization fields.

29. (Original). The method of claim 28, wherein said plurality of representative identification fields comprises:

a writing code field;
a representative status field;
an appointment effective date field; and
an appointment expiration date field.

30. (Original). The method of claim 28, wherein said plurality of representative authorization fields comprises:

a product group field;
a company field; and
a state field.

31. (Original). The method of claim 25, wherein said plurality of pending representative appointment information comprises:

a plurality of representative identification fields; and

a plurality of representative authorization fields.

32. (Original). The method of claim 31, wherein said plurality of representative identification fields comprises:

a writing code field;

a representative status field; and

an appointment effective date field.

33. (Original). The method of claim 31, wherein said plurality of representative authorization fields comprises:

a product group field;

a company field; and

a state field.

34. (**New**) The method of claim 1 wherein the one or more instructions for : (1) receiving the representative appointment information, (2) analyzing and sorting the received representative appointment information, and (3) saving the received representative appointment information are provided by a user to an application server having a processor module.